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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6739**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1127

**NOTE PREPARED:** Dec 27, 2002

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Alcohol Permit at a Community Center.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Pelath

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FUNDS AFFECTED:** X GENERAL  
DEDICATED  
FEDERAL

**IMPACT:** State & Local

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill allows Michigan Township in LaPorte County to obtain a retailer's permit for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2003.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:** If alcoholic beverage permits are issued for community and social centers located in Michigan Township, revenue to the Alcoholic Beverage Commission's Excise Fund would increase slightly. One-third of the revenue deposited into the Excise Fund from permit fees is distributed to the state General Fund.

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:** If additional retail alcoholic beverage permits are issued, local units would receive a slight increase in revenue. Two-thirds of the Excise Fund revenue from alcoholic beverage permit fees is distributed to the general funds of cities, towns, and counties based on population.

**State Agencies Affected:** Alcohol and Tobacco Commission.

**Local Agencies Affected:** Michigan Township, La Porte County.

**Information Sources:**

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